

## SHOE WITH AN ADJUSTABLE SOLE

## ABSTRACT

A shoe comprising a vamp (1) secured to a sole (2), and an innersole (3)  
5 removably insertable into the shoe above said sole, the sole (2) presenting  
at least one deformable part (6A,B; 16A,B; 26A,B; 36A,B; 46A,B; 56A,B;  
66A,B; 76A,B; 86A,B; 96A,B) and at least one substantially non-deformable  
part (7A,B,C), said deformable part enabling the sole width and/or length  
and/or perimeter to be at least partially varied to hence adapt the sole to the  
10 dimensions of the user's plantar region, said shoe comprising means (14;  
24; 34) to maintain the sole in a preferred deformed position adapted to the  
dimensions of the shoe user's foot; the means to maintain the sole in a  
preferred deformed position comprise at least one substantially rigid  
element (14; 24; 34), said rigid element being secured to the innersole (3) in  
15 a position such that when said innersole is inserted into the shoe said  
element becomes positioned in correspondence with at least a portion of  
the deformable part (6A,B; 16A,B; 26A,B; 36A,B; 46A,B; 56A,B; 66A,B;  
76A,B; 86A,B; 96A,B) of the sole (2), said rigid element being shaped and  
dimensioned such as to maintain the sole in said preferred deformed  
20 position.